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Case 5922R2C

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the Application of :
PETER W. HAMILTON ET AL. :
Serial No.: 09/715,586 : Group Art Unit: 1771
Filed: November 17, 2000 : Examiner:

For: IMPROVED STORAGE WRAP MATERIAL

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT PURSUANT TO 37 CFR 1.111

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows.

In the Claims

Please add new Claims 87-94.

87. A storage wrap material comprising:

- (a) a sheet of non-porous material having a first side and a second side, said first side comprising an active side exhibiting an adhesion peel force after activation by a user which is greater than an adhesion peel force exhibited prior to activation by a user and which is sufficient to form a seal against a target surface, and where said sheet of material is linerless, such that the activation of said active side requires no removal of components of said sheet of material, said sheet of material being sufficiently flexible to conform readily to any desired surface and having sufficiently small resiliency that it does not exert undue restorative forces which would tend to cause the seal to fail.

40 88. A storage wrap material according to Claim 87 wherein the sheet has sufficiently small resiliency that it does not exert undue restorative forces which would tend to cause the seal to fail such that preservation of perishable items is no longer ensured.

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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT for the patent application:

Inventor(s): Peter W. Hamilton et al.

Serial No.: 09/715,586

Group Art Unit: 1771

Date Filed: Nov. 17, 2000

Examiner:

Title: Improved Storage Wrap Material

1. ☐ No additional fee is known to be required.
2. ☒ The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	(Col. 1)		(Col. 2)	(Col. 3)	OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY	
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA*	RATE	FEE
TOTAL	* 94	MINUS	**86	= 8	x \$18 =	\$144
INDEP.	* 16	MINUS	*** 4	= 12	x \$80 =	\$960
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM					+ \$270 =	\$0
					TOTAL	\$1,104

* If the entry in Col. 1 is less than the entry in Col. 2, write "0" in Col. 3.

** If the highest number of total claims previously paid for is less than 20, write "20" in this space.

*** If the highest number of independent claims previously paid for is less than 3, write "3" in this space.

The "Highest Number Previously Paid For" (Total or Independent) is the highest number found from the equivalent box in Col. 1 of a prior amendment or the number of claims originally filed.

3. ☐ The Commissioner is hereby petitioned under 37 CFR §1.136(a) to grant any extension of time needed for timely response to the Office Action dated in the above-identified application to preserve pendency of said application. The processing fee under 37 CFR §1.17 has been determined as follows: \$ for a month extension of time.
4. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 16-2480. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.
 - a. ☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR §1.16.
 - b. ☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR §1.17.
5. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to make any additional copies of this sheet needed to accomplish the purposes provided for herein and to charge any fee for such copies to Deposit Account No. 16-2480.

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